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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN PRIORITY

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SUBJECT: PRODUCT OPPORTUNITY - SALE OF VEHICLES TO GOI

REF: TEHRAN 90

1. DRUM OF AMGENERAL (AMG) ADVISED SUBSTANCE REFTTEL, AND CONFIRMS ITS VALIDITY. AMG CONSIDERS THAT INTERVENTION SHARIFEMANI DID POSTPONE TOUFANIAN'S AGREEMENT WITH MERCEDES BENZ.

2. AMG STATES PREPARATION OF PROGRAM OF THIS OBVIOUS MAGNITUDE FOR PRODUCTION OF MILITARY VEHICLES IS MAJOR AND COSTLY UNDERTAKING. LACK OF INFORMATION ON MILITARY PROGRAM REGARDING ITS DURATION AND ANNUAL QUANTITIES BY WEIGHT CLASS AND BODY TYPES IS SERIOUS HANDICAP. THIS
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PROGRAM APPEARS TO CALL FOR A NEW PLANT WITH ALL ESSENTIAL FACILITIES. AMG THEREFORE DISPATCHING CHIEF MANUFACTURING AND PRODUCTION ENGINEER RICHARD K. FLOOD TO MEET WITH SHERKATE SAHAMI JEEP (SSJ) TECHNICIANS IN ORDER TO UNDERSTAND WHAT IS REQUIRED FOR THIS ASSEMBLY AND MANUFACTURING OPERATION. FLOOD ARRIVES TEHRAN FROM FAR EAST PANAM ONE ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 15. SSJ HAS MADE LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS

FOR AND CONCURS WITH FLOOD VISIT. AMG STATES THAT REPORT

BY FLOOD AND MEETING WITH AKHAVAN WILL GOVERN FURTHER
ACTION, AND WILL ADVISE USDOC/SIPS.

3. FYI. DRUM COMMUNICATED WITH US DEF/REP-IRAN ON
NOVEMBER 11 AND CHIEF ARMY SECTION ARMISH/MAAG DECEMBER
21 BY LETTERS. END FYI.
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